

ance company in this State, shall only be required to pay for these respective certificates of authority the sum of two dollars ; for each abstract of their annual statement for publication, two dollars ; for every copy of any paper filed in the insurance department, the sum of twenty cents per folio, and for affixing the official seal to such copy, and certifying the same, one dollar ; for valuing policies of life insurance companies, thirty dollars per million of insurance or any fractional part thereof ; for official examination of companies under this article, the charges specified in the sixth paragraph of section 160 of this article ; provided, the filing of the papers with the insurance commissioner, as required by this article, shall be in lieu of all papers formerly required by law to be filed with the comptroller and clerk of the superior court of Baltimore city, and the certificate of authority issued to any solicitor of a foreign insurance company, whether he be a solicitor for a life insurance company or a fire insurance company, or for an insurance company doing the business of insurance in any of its branches, shall have specified upon its face the name of the company for which said solicitor is authorized to act.

1900, ch. 512, sec. 126A.

168. No corporation or association, whether organized under the laws of the State of Maryland or otherwise, and no copartnership or individual, and no agent or employe of any company, individual, association or firm, whether such person be a licensed broker or otherwise, shall, directly or indirectly, pay, except to the lawful agent or solicitor of such company, and to him solely upon the premiums on policies issued by the company for which he may be licensed agent or solicitor, or to an insurance broker licensed by the State of Maryland, any commission, reward or rebate in consideration of procuring, or influencing others to procure, insurance from such company, association, individual or firm, nor collect or agree to collect from any person, whether or not the same may be the owner of the property insured, or his agent, or other person, any amount less than that expressed in the policy or policies as being the premiums therefor ; and any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be subject to the fines imposed by section 188 of this article.

Ibid. sec. 126B

169. No corporation or association authorized to transact business in this State, and no copartnership or individual,